ELECTION OF SCHOOL BOARDS.

Illinois Towns Select Trustees for Coming Year.

Nashville, Ill., April 20.—The following were elected without opposition at the school election held in this city Saturday: President of Board of Education, Hugh C. Adams; members of Board of Education, Henry H. Hosmer and Peter Froelich. But little interest was manifested, and consequently resulted in a light vote. ODIX.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Odin, Ill., April 20.—L. Sommerville was elected School Director by a majority of 2 to 1 over two other candidates. The principal issue was the construction of a new schoolhouse, and the decision was rendered to the allowards.

in the affirmative. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Clay City, Ill., April 20.—Doctor E. W. Boyies was re-elected member of the School Board here Saturday with little opposition: Doctor Boyles has been a member of the board almost continually since 1864.

ASSUMPTION.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Assumption, Ill., April 20.—The Beard of Education elected as president W. T. Wallace. Members of the Board are Fred Baxmeyer and Sam Sushing. MASCOUTAH.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Mascoutah, Ill., April 20.—The election for the Board of Education resulted as follows: President, Doctor Carl Rembe. Members of the Board of Education, Julius Postel and E. R. Hagisl.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Ill., April 20.—At an election here
Saturday afternoon J. J. McGaffigan was
elected Chairman and J. S. Patterson and
E. A. Kahlert members of the Board of
Education of this city.

MARTINSVILLE.

Martinsville, Ill., April 20.—After a lively race, E. W. Childs was elected President of the School Board by a majority of 10 and O. E. Fasig and O. M. Mauk members of the board by S. RED BUD. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

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Red Bud, Ill., April 20.—At the school election Saturday Hy. Buettner and Claus Petersen were elected Directors and William Williamson President. No women voted, ALTAMONT. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Altamont, Ill., April 20.—At the election of the School Board Saturday the following were elected: G. M. Baker, President; J. L. Stair and Fred Naumer Trustees.

EUREKA. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Eureka, Ill., April 20.—The annual election of the Board of Education resulted in the election of the following: President, T. J. McGuire; members of the board, P. A. Felter, Ed C. Engel and H. C. Hayes.

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Greenup, Ill., April 20.—At the school election in this city Saturday, J. P. Bwart was elected President and C. C. Leggett ad Doctor L. A. Fisher members of the Board of Education.

PANA.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pana, Ill., April 20.—The hottest school election in the history of this city was waged Saturday, the successful ticket being: A. B. Gorman, President, and Thomas Vidler and Lou Roley members of SALEM.

BALEM.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Balem, Ill., April 20.—The election in this city Saturday for members of the Board of Education was a spirited contest. About 500 votes were poiled, resulting in the election of Captain Robert Martin, President, and C. E. Jennings, D. D. Haynie and Hamp Betts, members of the board. Over 100 women voted. The vote to-day resulted in, the retention of the present corps of teachers.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Charleston, Ill., April 20.—The annual school election here Saturday afternoon brought on a bot fight between the regular and independent tickets.

Doctor E. P. Hillagross and John L. Whisnand were elected. Nearly 1,000 votes were cast in the two hours the polls were open, several hundred women voting. They took a lively interest in the election and generally supported the independent ticket, which was successful.

FLORA.

FLORA. Piora, Ill., April 20.-At the election of

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Will offer every day this week bargains which cannot be approached elsewhere. New goods, choice styles, bought cheap!! They will be offered at the low prices below as long as they last. Owing to our inability to handle our enormous spring purchases in our temporary quarters, these goods must be sold at

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CURTAINS.

Nottingham and Cable Nets, The best patterns ever shown \$ 1.00 to \$ 4.50 for the money

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(Best Styles, Small Profits, Quick Sales.)

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REMNANT RUGS. Last Week at These Prices. Room sizes Tapestry Brussels.. \$11.25 Room sizes best Brussels..... \$12.85 Room sizes good Velvet...... \$14.75 Room sizes best Velvet...... \$16.50

ENGLISH SIBERIAN RUGS. Solid colorings, very beautiful and durable, reg. price \$6.25; this week \$3.25. Taiko Rugs (sizes 30 in. by 60 in.), Oriental patterns; you should see quality (size 36 in. by 72 in.)-\$1.95. Rugs for rooms (size 9 ft. by 12 ft.); wool quality-beauties-\$19.75.

SPRING AND SUMMER RUGS. Jute and cotton, choice colors, suitable for cottages, porches, etc., \$1.90. There will be great reductions throughout this department. Come and see them. You will be interested.

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(Great Values for Little Money.)

J. KENNARD @ SONS.

school officers held in this city Saturday
Doctor W. F. Fairchild was re-elected
President of the board without opposition,
as was also G. A. Hoff a member of the
board. The only contest was between H. W.
Shriner and Frank Valbert for member of
the board, and Shriner won by 34 majority.
A large vote was cast and the ladies took
an active interest in voting.

CARROLLTON.

test here Saturday, Sylvester Fitzgerrell
was elected President of the Board of Education, and Lawrence E. Chenault and William F. Burklitt members. Several hundred
women participated in the contest.

HERRIN.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Herrin, Ill., April 20.—At the annual school
election, held Saturday, F. Applegath was
elected President of the Board of Education, and Lawrence E. Chenault and William F. Burklitt members.

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CARROLLTON. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carrollton, Ill., April 20.—At the election for the members of the Board of Education here Saturday J. B. Nulton was re-elected President and L. W. Reed and Steward E. Plerson members of the board.

ANNA. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Anna, Ill., April 29.—At the school election here Saturday Walter Grear was elected President and P. C. Willoughby and Doctor S. C. Martin members of the Board of Education. Only forty-three women voted.

MOUNT VERNON. MOUNT VERNON.

REFUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mount Vernon, Ill., April 20.—In the school election held in this city Saturday George W. Howard was chosen President and Fred Cochran and C. J. Cunningham members of the board. The election was devoid of the usual excitement. But few women participated and the vote cast was the lightest in very

ALTO PASS. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Alto Pass, III., April 20.—There was an unusually spirited contest in the school election here Saturday between John Rendleman and F. E. James, candidates for School Director. Hack loads of women were hauled to the polls and swelled the number of votes cast to 120. James received a majority of 34.

BENTON. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Benton, Ill., April 20.-In a red-hot con-

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Herrin, Ill., April 29.—At the annual school election, held Saturday, F. Applegath was elected President, and Doctor H. A. Berry and Albert K. Eills members of the Board of Education.

WATERLOO.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Waterloo, Ill., April 20.—At the school election for President and members of the Board of Education, held here Saturday, the following were elected: President, Doctor C.

M. Fike; members, David M. Hardy and Samuel F. Chenot. A larger vote was polled than at the city election April 16.

GRAYVILLE.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Grayville, Ill., April 20.—At the School Board election D. Wooden was elected Presi-dent, and J. M. Blood, V. Cleavelin and Frank Dauner as members of the board.

Frank Dauner as members of the board.

EDWARDSVILLE.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Edwardsville, Ill., April 20.—The school election passed off without incident Saturday afternoon. There was no avowed contest and a total of but 194 votes was polled. For president E. C. Springer received 183 votes; for members, two to be elected, E. P. Greenwood received 179; F. W. Wolf, 175; C. W. Terry, 16; J. R. Sutter, 1.

The three successful candidates are all members of the present Board of Educaembers of the present Board of Educa-

tion.

GREENFIELD.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Greenfield, Ill., April 20.—The election held here Saturday for Board of Education resulted as follows: Doctor H. W. Gobble, president; C. B. Snyder, member of the Board. The vote resulted in a tie between

T. G. Capps and Leon Haven for the other vacancy on the board. Quite a number of women cast their ballots. SANDOVAL.

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Sandoval, Ill., April 20.—John A. Sherman was elected president and E. L. Briscoe and Henry Bohner members of the Board of Education. Two tickets were voted on but there was no issue.
BEARDSTOWN.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Beardstown, Ill., April 20.—At an election held here Saturday for members of the Board of Education, Harrison Hines was elected president and F. M. Fulks and William Epler as members.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING.

Board of Curators Plan Improvements at Missouri University.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Columbia, Mo., April 20.—The Executive Board of the Board of Curators of the Missouri State University closed a three day's session here Saturday. There were present Judge N. M. Givan of Harrisonville, Campbell Wells of Platte City and Walter Williams of Columbia.

Plans were discussed for the erection of the five new buildings provided for by the Forty-first General Assembly.

Doctor W. S. Drewry was appointed instructor in history, Fred Keisey was reappointed night librarian.

Repairs on the University Club building were authorized and improvements on the Rollins athletic field.

Charged With Failing to Secure Necessary License.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Kahoka, Mo., April 20.—Judge McKee called a special Grand Jury Friday, and that body found forty-three indictments against Kahoka's five saloonkeepers, who have been running without a regular city license for over five years. The cases are set for the June term of the Circuit Court.

donia, Marvin College of Frederickstown and Jackson Military Academy, Kent Wil-son won the honors in oratory, Miss Hays Reneau in essay, Miss Tillie Barrenger in recitation and William Judy in declamation. The first three were students of Jackson Military Academy, the last of Marvin Col-

SALOON MEN INDICTED.

TOWNE TALKS TO STUDENTS.

Delivers an Address at Missouri

. University. REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Columbia, Mo., April 20.—Charles A.
Towne delivered an eloquent address in the
State University Auditorium, his subject
being "American Liberty and Preservation." The audience was one of the largest
ever in Columbia. While in Columbia Mr.
Towne was the guest of E. W. Stephens.

Rollins athletic field.

Winners in School Contests.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jackson, Mo., April 20.—in the intercollegiate contests held here Friday night between students of Bellvue Institute of Cale-

COLLEGE MEN FRATERNIZE.

bright Spring designs.....

Annual Convention of Fraternal Society Brings Them Together. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

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Bloomington, Ill., April 20.—The annual convention of section il of the Fraternity Phi Gamma Deita has brought to Bloomington delegates from the following colleges: Illinois Wesleyan, Bloomington; Knox, University of Illinois, University of Minnesota. Last evening the members of the section were the guest of Alpha Deuteron Chapter of the Illinois Wesleyan of this city.

An elaborate banquet was served to 100, followed by a ball. The annual banquet of the section was held Saturday night, attended by members of Phi Gamma Deita only. To Friday evening's function all the Greeks of the city, both male and female, were invited. The business of the section occupied nearly all of Saturday. Section Chief C. H. Stevenson of Chicago presided.

Members of the fraternity present from other sections are: H. H. Hatton, University of Wisconsin, and Clarence Jener of Indiana. The National President of Phi Gamma Deita, Doctor J. O. Wilson of New York, is an alumnus of the chapter of this city.

The next convention will be at Knox College, Galesburg.

HOUSE PASSES CAPITOL BILL

Lower Branch of Arkansas Assem-

presented by the Belect Committee, of which Mr. Moore of Phillip, was chairman. The vote was 76 to 9. The salient features of the bill were printed in Friday's Republic.

The bill proposing to redistrict the State for representative purposes was discussed for several hours and finally laid on the table. The bill proposed to reduce the representation of four counties and add to four others.

The Senate did not meet Saturday.

HONOR TO BELO'S MEMORY.

Newspaper Men and Business Men Adopt Suitable Resolutions.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Dallas, 'Tex., April 20.—The newspaper men of Dallas met Saturday and passed suitable resolutions to the memory of the late Colonel A. H. Belo, owner of the Dallas and Galveston News, who died yesterday at Ashville, N. C. A mass meeting of business men was held later and took similar action. Both meetings were largely attended.

Shot Negro During Fight.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Kahoka, Mo., April 20.—In a street fight
Saturday afternoon James Parsons shot
Howard Webster, a negro, through the
right arm, just below the shoulder. The
ball turned in its course, thus saving the
negro's life. Both were arrested.

bly Favors Appropriation.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Little Rock, Ark., April 20.—The House Saturday passed the State Capitol bill as negro, last Tuesday.

MURDER WARRANT ISSUED—A warrant charging murder in the second degree was issued Saturday against Ella Lucas, a negro, last Tuesday.

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